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RESPONSE

Hon. Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks

Washington, D. C. 20231

Sir:

This is a response to the Office Letter dated August 30, 1985. Please amend the above identified application as follows:

IN THE CLAIMS

Please amend the claims as follows:

wherein said source of radiation is operable to generate a radiation beam [laser] and said relative movement between the beam generated [by said laser] and said object is effected by controllably conveying said object past said source of radiation [laser].

13. (Amended) A method of recording information on objects comprising:

securing [coating] a layer of a recording material select on a/portion of the surface of an object on which/portion [a] an information recording is to be effected,

relatively moving said object and a source of intense beam radiation capable of effecting a recording in said <u>recording</u> material <u>secured to</u> [coated on the surface of] said object [when said beam intersects said coating], and